TURKEYS AND FOWL

Fresh Eggs Slightly Lower and Vegetables Also Reduced in Local Markets.

Christmas shopping was the feature of the market today, and there was a slight strengthening of prices in consequence. This applies only generally, however, there being no tendency to restore drooping prices in eggs, butter or vegetables which fell the early part of the week. Latest quotations for creamery butter are about 45 cents a creamery butter are about 45 cents a ound, which is the same as last week, tenovated butter has dropped 3 cents, and is now quoted at 25 cents a pound. and is now quoted at 35 cents a pound.
Eggs, of the variety known as fresh,
nearby, are quoted at 40 cents, a drop
of five cents from last week and other
grades, the storage variety, on account
of the tendency of dealers to unload,
suffered a sharp decline during the week
and are now quoted at 19 to 22 cents a
dosen. It is explained that this is less
than they could have been purchased
for hast spring, but that the sales are
made by dealers to realize something
before incoming spring eggs cause a
total loss of stored ggs.

Fancy Eggs Still High. there has been no change in the price fancy eggs, which are still quote to 55 or even 60 cents a dozen.

The price of turkeys has strengthen dightly in anticipation of Christman dency upward in place of the teady price of 22 cents a pound quoted week ago. Brolling guineas are \$1.25 n place of \$1 to \$1.25, and squabs are utoted at 50 cents cach, in place of 35 ents. Fish is variable, depending on the sunch.

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A slight increase in the price of vegetables is noticed on account of the alightly smair supply as the season grows later. Florida cucumbers have been added to the list at 5 cents each. Sweet potatoes continue high, after the increase of a week ago, and are now strong at \$3.50 a barrel.

Following are latest quotations for stables: Fruits.

Grapefruit, each
Pananas, a doz
Fign, a lb
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tirapes malage a in
Grapes, concord, basket
Grupes, Tokays, basket10c@lac
Lemons, a doz
1.imer, a dos
Oranges, a des20e050c
Pineappler, each
Pears, cooking, pk
Vegetables.
Artichokes, per qt
Pleets, new. a bunch
Beans, string, pk
Cabbage, new Section
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Carrota a bunch
Cauliflower, each
Colory, a bunch See 10c
Cucumbers, each (Boston but bouse)
Cucumbers, Florida, each
Eggplant, each10cm20c
French endive, domestic, headbesse
French endive, imported, 1b
Kale, per pk
Leeks, a bunch10c
Lattuce, a head
Mint
Onlone, spring, a bunch
Onions, red and yellow, 1-4 pk
Potatoce, pk
Brupaets sprouts, qtliegisc
Potatoes, sweet, pk
Paraley, a bunch
Peppers, a doz
Radishes, a bunch
University 1.4 mb
Hplinach, 1-4 pk
Tomatoes, bot house, lb
Turnips, pk

Butter.

Poultry. Sea Pood

Eggs

Commin. steas, a lb.
Filet of sole
Flounders, a lb.
Haddock, lb.
Halibut Steas, a lb.
Habitet, large and small, a lb.
Maskerel, Spanish, a lb.
Pollock, a lb.
Salmon, a lb.
Scallops, dl.
Smelta, lb.
Trout, sprok, a lb.
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Trout, speckled, a lb.
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Treut, speckled, a lb.
Treut, speckled, a lb.
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Steaf, chipped, a lb.
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Beef, chipped, a lb.

Reef, chipped, a lb.

Reef, corned, a lb.

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Loin van, a lb.

Filet, beef, a lb.

Roast, porter, a lb.

Roast, princ, a lb.

Roas

Fork Froduct.

Hacon, a 1b.
Cheps, pork, a 1b.
Perk, roast, a 1b.
Ham, belief, a 1b.
Shoulders, pork, a 1b.
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Ham, tresh a 1b.
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Lam, tresh a 1b.
Lard, leaf a 1b.
Sausage, pork
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Lumb and Mutton.
Chops: French, a 1b.

Clerk Hit by Car Dies in Hospital

Horave Upperman, a cierk, fifty years old, of 2029 H street northwest, who was struck by a street car at Ninth and E streets northwest Tuesday morning, deed last night in the Emergency Hos-

pital.
Upperman received a fracture of the left leg and was injured internally. Acting Coroner White will hold an inquest over the body.
According to witnesses, Upperman walked around the rea rof one car and in front of one coming in the opposite direction on the other track.

VIRGINIA SCOUTS TO ATTEND CHASE'S

Forty Alexandria Boys Will See Performance to Aid Troops of District-Goo'dly Sum Is Expected From Theatrical Benefit.

A delegation of Boy Scouts from Alexandria, forty strong, will come over to Washington tonight to attend the Boy Scout benefit in Chase's Theater. The boys wrote Scout Commissioner Martin in the early part of the Week saying that the work of the Washington scouts was of deep interest to them and to help out in the benefit they wanted forty seats together for tonight are mrs. George Becker, Mrs. Corby, and Preston Gibson. The public schools of the city closed at 12 o'clock today in order that a number of children who could not obtain seats for the performance in Chase's Theater tomorrow afternoon might see the Boy Scouts act that afternoon. Troop I, from the Young Men's Christian Association, will go through the school children of the city. It is expected for the four last performances. Box holders for the benefit in Chase's together for the public schools of the city closed at 12 o'clock today in order that a number of children who could not obtain seats for the performance in Chase's Theater tomorrow afternoon might see that he performance in Chase's tomorrow afternoon will be especially for the school children of the city. It is expected for the four last performances. Box holders for the benefit in Chase's together for the public schools of the city closed at 12 o'clock today in order that a number of children who could not obtain seats for the proving the Boy Scouts act that a fernoon. The Boy Scout act tonight. The principals will be the same as have been giving the act all the week.

afternoon will be especially for the school children of the city. It is ex-pected that the theater will be filled with children judging from the advance sale of seats. Older persons will, of course, be expected, but the perform-ance is chiefly for the children.

Push Sale of Tickets.

Every troop of scouts in the city will hold a meeting tonight to plan a last big effort for the sale of tickets tomorrow. The management of the benefit has offered prizes to the memeral troops are running close together in the sale of tickets, but it is impossi-ble to tell which one is shead. Some of the troops have turned in all the money from the sale of tickets as it was received. Other troops have not

in a lump sum. Tomorrow every scout in Washington will go on the streets with tickets and it is expected that a record sale will be made. Expect Goodly Receipts.

turned in any money at all but are keeping it to be handed over tomorrow

Although the benefit has not been playing to record audiences all the week the theater has been nearly filled a every performance so far and a goodly sum will be realized for the scout or-ganization. Fridays and Saturdays are always the biggest days in the week at METHODS USED BY NEW HAVEN ROAD

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Kills the Stork.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec, 20.—John
Hayden, aged eleven, killed a crane
with a rifle. "Mamma." he said, "they
ain't gonna be no more bables. I killed
the stork.

Charles B. Mellen, president of the New
Haven railroad, explaining the New
Haven's methods which have been
much criticised of late. He declared
he loved New England as the result
of thirty-four years of labor there:
that his every move had been to protect its interests, and that if it had
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